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Derek I. Sandison
Director, Office of Columbia River
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Subject: Water for America – Basin Study Program – Yakima Basin Study Proposal

Dear Mr. Sandison:

Kittitas Reclamation District is writing to express our agency's support for the Bureau of Reclamation and the Department and the Department of Ecology's water for America – Yakima Basin Study Proposal. The Water for America Basin Study Program would provide substantial funding for the Yakima River Basin Water Enhancement Project 2009 Work Group efforts to development a Comprehensive Water Resource Management Implementation Plan for the Yakima basin.

We look forward to participating on the 2009 Work Group and engaging in the implementation planning process.

Sincerely,

Ken Hasbrouck
Secretary-Manger

Urban Eberhart
Board Member